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METRO PICTURES

Friday the queen of vampires, Theda Bara in "The Forbidden Path."

SALVATION ARMY RAISING FUNDS FOR WAR WORK

A campaign is being conducted over the entire country to raise a fund of not less than one million dollars for the war work of the Salvation Army at home and over the seas. Several million could be used. The Salvation Army has earned its place among the war relief organizations doing service for our American soldiers both at home and abroad.

The purpose of this fund of one million dollars is to operate Salvation Army huts under the first battle line in France. President Wilson endorses the Salvation Army War Work and campaign, and expresses his "sincere hope that it may be fully sustained." Secretary Baker says "The War department welcomes and is grateful for such help."

The Salvation Army reaches and serves many men and boys of a type others cannot reach. Its corps of women workers enables it to render a unique service on the battle front. "You cannot get away from the Salvation Army in France," writes a soldier boy. "If you're hungry, they meet you with ham and eggs! if you are mopish, they cheer you up with a song; if you are not doing the straight thing, they give you a rough time in their meeting; if you're put out of action by a shell, they give you a ride in the motor car; if you 'go West,' they put up a slab to mark your resting place, and write the only word home folks get."

The Salvation Army in France is a vital part of that "invisible armor" with which we, back home, may shield our boys "from all scars save those won n the honorable warfare." It is hoped that this city will be glad to do its share in helping such a deserving cause.

The Page Steel & Wire company employees have contributed this week to the fund and the other mills will undoubtedly do likewise. H. C. McEldowney of the Union Trust Co. of Pittsburgh, is treasurer of the fund for this district. C. B. Brown, manager of the campaign, was in the city today. It is hoped Monessen will contribute $3,500 which has been the quota assigned for this city.

Escaped Lynching

A. Powell, a machinist, of the Baltimore & Ohio railroad shops, at Connellsville, narrowly escaped lynching in that city yesterday afternoon when he referred to Liberty Bonds as being "so much old paper."

A crowd of workmen gathered about him and threatened him with violence. He escaped through a window of the shop and was pursued by many of the shop employes for nearly a half mile to the outskirts of the town, where he eluded his pursuers.

A Correction

The Westinghouse band of Wilmerding has been engaged for the big Liberty Loan parade Sunday afternoon. It will lead the delegation of Monessen Turners. It was noted in yesterday's paper that Charles A. Geiss had secured the services of this talented organization but his efforts were on behalf of the Turn Verein. The Turners are planning to turn out a big delegation to help make the parade a success and to show their loyalty to the nation in time of need.

Receive Check

The members of the Monessen Fire department are very much pleased and appreciative for a check received today in honor of good service, which is described in the following letter:

Monessen, Pa., Apr. 23

To Monessen Fire Department:

Enclosed find check for $10.00 for your kindness and quick service which you showed when our home was nearly destroyed by fire, Monday, April 8. Your kindness will never be forgotten.

— Sincerely Yours,
Mr. and Mrs. Gust Carlson,
910 Knox Ave., Monessen.

Such unsolicited occurrences as this make our fire laddies feel very good, and they as a body and personally, tender their sincere and heartfelt thanks, assurring the people of Monessen that they are always ready and willing to work, and give their utmost strength and ability when it comes to protecting and trying to save the homes and business places of Monessen's people.

—Adam Eichler of Schoonmaker avenue, has returned home from a few days' visit with friends in Duquesne.

BIG FIRE LAST NIGHT IN POOL ROOM AND HOTEL; FIREMEN SUMMON HELP

A fire originating in the pool room next to the Westmoreland hotel was the means of summoning the fire department at 3 o'clock this morning. There was a quick response to the call, but the fire had gained considerable headway and the building being frame, caused great anxiety in the neighborhood. Several streams of water were turned on but despite the efforts, the flames spread into the hotel building, which is also frame. For a time it looked as though the hotel would be entirely consumed, but the firemen succeeded in conquering the enemy and saving part of it. The furnishings on the one side of the house, together with the building is almost a total loss. The rear of the building met the worse fate and much of the loss being in private belongings cannot be replaced. The family quarters of the house including bedding, famly relics, furnishings, carpets and everything is practically damaged beyond recognition. The hotel contains about twenty five rooms, all furnished in excellent taste and almost continuously occupied by regular and transient guests. Much of the private property was also destroyed. The dining room, kitchen and that part of the house used for a laundry and storage room was where the greatest destruction was wrought. Hundreds of dollars worth of perishable goods suffered by both fire and water. The hotel property and furnishings belong to J. J. Goulding, whose loss will approximate $25,000, which is only partially covered by insurance. The pool room was owned and operated by M. M. George, whose loss will be about $2,500. The building is owned by William Herron. No person has the slightest idea how the fire originated.

The firemen worked faithfully. Every man stuck to his post of duty during the heat and excitement of the flames. When great disaster was threatened, the Donora department was summoned and gave immediate response and rendered valuable assistance to the local department. The Charleroi department also responded to the call, but the engine being disabled, could not render assistance. So far as is known there was but one accident. William Eller suffers an injured foot. A ladder was knocked over by the force of a hose and fell on Mr. Eller's foot, but the injury is not of a serious nature.

Young Men Enlist

John Hertnick of Donner avenue, Monessen, and John Kaubb, of Charleroi, better known as "Cuppy," enlisted yesterday and expect to leave Sunday for Columbus, Ohio, to enter a training camp. Both boys are members of the Monessen fire department, "Cuppy" being driver of the fire truck. The boys have many friends about Monessen who regret seeing them leave, but admire their patriotic spirit and commend them to the fortunes of war and extend sincere wishes for a safe return to home and friends.

Aged Woman Dead

Mrs. Susan Sword died this morning at 6:30 at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Jas. Wheatley at Belle Vernon. She was 78 years of age and had lived the greater part of her life at McKeesport. She leaves five children: James A. C. and Mrs. Henry Zell of McKeesport, David D., of Columbus, O., Mrs. Jas. E. McHenry of Barberton, O., and Mrs. Jas. Wheatley of Belle Vernon. Fourteen grand children and one great grand child also survive. Her husband, David R. Sword, died 19 years ago.

The funeral services will be held at the Wheatley home in Belle Vernon Thursday evening at 7 o'clock. Interment Friday afternoon at Mount Vernon.

CHURCH TROUBLES ARE AIRED BEFORE JUSTICE WHITE

A double case was heard yesterday before Justice White in which B. Krasnicki and others were the prosecutors and Michael Wisniewski was the defendant. The charge was "Presenting firearms and threatening to shoot." The persons implicated in this case are all members of the Polish Catholic church in which there seems to be a division and the church divided into two factions, the trouble having come about through the election of church officers Jan. 1 for the coming year. It seems that a certain portion of the membership wished some changes made regarding the duties of the new committee, and to this the other faction objected.

Michael Wisniewski, one of the defendants, a brother of the priest, Father Wisniewski was accused of pointing a fire arm and threatening to shoot last Sunday, first in the church yard just after the 8 o'clock mass and again about 12 o'clock at the corner of Rostraver and Knox avenue. The detached faction it is said asks for a practical, business-like adjustment of church business affairs, while it is alleged that the other faction differ in a measure, wishing to leave the business affairs more to the judgment of their friends.

As it stands the church now has no acting official board and the matter of final adjustment has been put up to Bishop Canavan of Pittsburgh, and the matter of the church will be gone over at a future date. In the meantime Justice White has reserved his decision and the case will likely be thrown into court for final adjustment.

GREAT RESPECT SHOWN FOR DECEASED SOLDIER

The remains of John Henry Rose of 416 Donner avenue, whose death occurred at Camp Lee, Saturday night of pneumonia, arrived here on last night's train and were taken to the home. The body was accompanied by Corporal Watson.

The body will be taken from the home of the mother, Mrs. Carrie Rose, 416 Donner avenue, tomorrow morning to the First Christian church on Sixth street, where it will remain until the hour of services, 2 o'clock Thursday. Soldier boys now in Monessen will act as pall bearers and stand guard in regular army form from 9 o'clock until the hour of services in the afternoon. The services will be conducted by Rev. J. B Swain and all friends and sympathizers will be allowed to view the body.

Only the second day of this month Private Rose left Monessen for camp, not then well, but so filled with patriotism that no persuasion of near and dear friends could deter him from going along with "the boys." Two days later pneumonia developed and he was placed in the base hospital at Camp Lee. The mother went to his bedside but too late, as the disease had gained such hold on the lad's constitution that he was beyond recognizing his mother's voice or face, and death came to his relief Saturday night.

Today the body lies in his old Monessen home, 'mid bowers of roses and trellaces of flowers, the tributes being beyond description in beauty and profusion. Curtains are drawn, dim lights burning and amid the fragrance of flowers, friends and neighbors are passing in and out by the hundred, taking a last look at one of America's bravest and truest defenders. He did not get to fight, but showed his utmost willingness to go through shot and shell, and die if needs be, in the trenches upholding his country's honor.

He fought his fight, an awful fight—that of the fight for his life, and he chose to do it honorably, away from home, mother and friends, in the country's service.

He fought his fight, he kept the faith, hence there is laid up in Heaven for him a crown of glory."

The funeral services will be conducted with full military honors. The casket is draped in the American flag. At the grave uniformed soldiers will give the military salute, firing the regulation volley over the grave of their departed comrade, closing with "taps" as the last earthly honor they could bestow over the departed. Interment will be made in Grandview cemetery. The sorrowing mother and friends have the deepest sympathy of the entire community.

Apologies Mr. Reed

In Saturday's police court items this paper said "John Reed was fined $5.00 for being drunk and disorderly." This item had no reference to John Reed, the real estate man, but to a drunkard who dropped into police court and was fined for disorderly conduct. Unfortunately the man bore the same name as our townsman, John Reed, but we are frank to admit and confess that our court reporter should have used more discretion and should have given all of the records as to residence etc., when the names were the same. This is one of the cares of newspaper making. There is no law that protects a name or reputation The country is full of George Washingtons. Westmoreland county has no less than three who have been in the county courts for high crimes. It is a shame and disgrace that they do bear the name of the immortal George Washington, the father of this great country. We apologize to Mr. Reed and assure him that the lecture given in the repertorial rooms of this paper will prevent a good reputation from being publicly assassinated because some bum bears the same name.

Hearing Postponed

The hearing of Louis Beck, aged 19, former night clerk for the Adams Express company, and James F. Burke, motion picture operator, arrested in connection with the larceny of $86,215 from the express company on February 23 last, was postponed yesterday by Alderman J. J Kirby until this morning in order to enable the express company to draw a new information including the name of Whitney Roush, another youth, who is alleged to have taken part in the alleged conspiracy.

C. F. Patterson, attorney for the express company, submitted a confession purporting to have been signed by Beck in which it is stated that Burke got $80,000 of the money and Roush $550. No evidence was offered by Beck or Burke as to what became of the $80,000, and the express company officials declned to discuss the matter.

Bijou Theatre

TODAY—William S. Hart in "The Silent Man." "The Curse on the Scarbee Ruby," a Gumont and a one reel comedy.

THURSDAY—"The Run for Life," and a one reel comedy "Sic 'em Cats."

FRIDAY—"The Burglar and the Lady," featuring James I. Corbett, in a one reel comedy.

SATURDAY—"The Chocolate Soldier," in 5 reels, and two Max Sennett comedies.

STAR THEATRE

TODAY—Marguerite Clark in "The Valentine Girl." A crook play that is different and dainty diminuative Miss Clarke is at her best in the leading role

THURSDAY—Mae Murray in a fine interesting photoplay entitled "Face Value."

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Mrs. Helen Gurska of 1217 Reservoir avenue, died at the home yesterday of pneumonia, aged 27 years. Deceased is survived by the husband and one small son. The funeral services will be conducted in the Polish Catholic church Thursday at 10 a. m. Interment in Grandview cemetery.

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Olympic Theatre

TODAY—Metro presents winsome Viola Dana in "The Weaver of Dreams," a 5-act screen drama of love and renunciation featuring this adorable star.

THURSDAY—The critic said it couldn't be done. He ridiculed the story of the girl author. "The things she described could never be done," he said, so just to show that they could, she achieved the daring exploits about which she had written. See the delightful, fun making Madge Kennedy in the hit of the season, "The Danger Game" a Goldwyn feature.

FRIDAY—The queen of vampires. Theda Bara in "The Forbidden Path," a feature full of interest, a society drama.

SATURDAY—A picture full of patriotism. "Over There," featuring two great stars, Charles Richman, the leading man in the never to b forgotten film "The Battle Cry of Peace," ably supported by beautiful Anna Nillson. Also the first episode of "The Bull's Eye," starring everybody's favorite, Eddie Polo, the serial king.

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THE SHORT CUTS OF WAR

It is marvelous how things get done in war time that are impossible of accomplishment in times of peace. The matter of daylight saving, for instance. This has been advocated for a number of years. But few people became interested in it. Popular inertia could not be overcome. Most of us laughed at it as a mere deception. It might have taken 20 years to convert the mass of the people to the idea. But in war times, it comes almost without effort.

Take the giving of money to philanthropies. It is easier to get $100,000,000 today for the Red Cross, than it used to be to get $1,000,000 for the most useful and necessary philanthropic cause in our country. This is partly because the need for this work is universally manifest. Yet there have been many of our good causes in previous years that should appeal to everyone.

Probably the reason for the change is that the spirit of sacrifice is in the air. We are all deeply impressed by the heroism of the soldiers. That makes people ashamed to sit at home and count their dollars. It would seem as if this greater openness of heart should continue after the war. Let us hope our people have learned a lesson, and from now on will be ashamed just to grasp and get, and never give to help suffering and remove ignorance.

We have all known that Congress distributed favors on a pork basis. Also that the departments were strangled in a network of restricting red tape. But no one party or group of statesmen had energy or courage or determination or power enough to root out these evils. When war time comes, the people demand efficiency at once. The man or the group or party that does not get it has to go. If we can only carry this spirit into the time of reconstruction after the war, the losses we have to face will not be wholly in vain.

ADMINISTERING THE WHEAT

The government, in its handling of the wheat situation, undertook to secure the necessary economies by voluntary effort. It assumed there would be much less friction if people would only change their living habits of their own accord. So there has been a campaign of education to show the necessity of saving wheat.

The reason for this policy has been many times explained and does not need repetition. The food manufacturers of Europe lack facilities to handle corn. That cereal does not transport as well as wheat and takes more cargo space. So wheat is the most practical grain to send abroad.

It has worked out that a great many people would not save a bit of wheat themselves, but kept on eating white flour just as usual. That placed the whole burden of the economy on conscientious people who listened to the government appeals. It is a good deal as if the burden of war taxation were all made voluntary. In that case the conscientious people would pay the tax while those less scrupulous would find plenty of excuses for not doing so.

Unless there is a general disposition on the part of about all the people to co-operate, the government will be forced to take more vigorous measures. It will have to seize the amount of wheat which it feels to be needed for our armies and our allies. Then our people will have to get along with the remainder. There will be some people who would say that the time for such action has already come, and that only in this way would we secure anything like a uniform distribution of the wheat supply. That would prevent a heavier burden being placed on conscientious and public spirited people.

Now if those who have been slow to co-operate in this matter could only see this, the government could still proceed on a voluntary policy of wheat saving.

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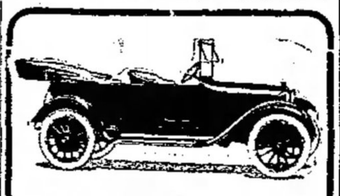

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Thou shalt not evict, for non-payment of rent, a soldier's dependents, under penalty of a $10,000 fine.

Thou shalt not cut off a soldier's life insurance because of delayed premiums.

Thou shalt not foreclose a mortage on a soldier's property.

Thou shalt not take away a soldier's home on which he has made part payment.

Thou shalt not sell a soldier's property because of his failure to pay the taxes—national, state or local.

Thou shalt not settle a lawsuit against a soldier during his absence.

If a soldier sues, the courts shall postpone action until he can attend to it.

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Auditors' Report
1917

Monessen, Pa., February 18, 1918.

Monessen Borough Council,
Monessen, Pa.

Honorable Sirs:—

We, the undersigned Borough Auditors, respectfully report that we have examined the books and accounts of the Borough Treasurer, Jesse Hancock, of the Tax Collector, Carl Woodward, of the Chief Burgess, A. G. Dunlap, and of D. C. Farquhar. H. W. Day and the Peoples National Bank, Secretaries and Treasurer, respectively, of the Board of Health, and have compared them with the books and accounts of the Borough Clerk, James E. Pittman, for the fiscal year beginning January 1, 1917, and ending December 31, 1917, and have found the same to be in accordance with the following report:—

GENERAL FUND STATEMENT
Receipts

From Licenses:—		
(a) Dogs	$ 153.50	
(b) Street Peddlers	1,359.50	
(c) Exhibition	200.00	
(d) Auctions	60.00	
(e) Pole Tax:—		
W. M., B. V. & F. C. Street Ry.	84.00	
Pittsburgh Steel Co.	8.00	
Central District Telephone Co.	261.50	
West Penn Power Co.	296.50	
(f) Team Licenses	270.00	
(g) Retail Liquor Licenses	1560.00	
(h) Dances and Weddings	170.00	
(i) Shooting Gallery	10.00	
Street Improvement Assessments	3144.90	
Interest on Street Improvement Assessments	406.97	
Sewer Permits	344.00	
Building Permits	118.00	
Sidewalk Permits	18.50	
Deposit for Street Opening	530.00	
Burgess Fines:—		
A. G. Dunlap from 1916	180.00	
A. G. Dunlap from 1917	3,937.00	
Tax Collector:—		
Carl Woodward from 1915	430.99	
Carl Woodward from 1916	941.02	
Carl Woodward from 1917	54,116.05	
Engineer Service	470.05	
Tax Lien Sales	606.34	
Loans from paving fund April 5, 1917	10,000.00	
Telephone calls not borough business	3.00	
Detention of County Prisoners at Borough Jail	48.05	
From Foreign Insurance	528.23	
Sale of Old Hose	15.00	
Hauling Dead Dogs	1.00	
Sale of Gasoline	1.50	
Sidewalk Improvements	301.50	
Refund on Viewer Expense to Greensburg	25.75	
Uncalled for checks redeposited	62.84	
Axel Ruuti case paid in full	109.58	
Sale of Brick	149.50	
Miscellaneous	12.50	$ 80,935.27
Balance in Hands of Treasurer, Jan. 1, 1917		11,453.76
Total		$ 92,389.03

EXPENDITURES

Police Department:—		
Salaries	$ 13,584.17	
Police Supplies	400.72	
Meals for Prisoners in Borough Jail	370.50	
Meals for Prisoners in County Jail	52.00	
Medical Service for Prisoners	85.50	
Transferring Prisoners to County Jail	9.00	
Patrol Supplies and Maintenance	203.85	$ 14,705.74
Salaries and Expenses:—		
Borough Clerk	1,651.00	
Clerk's Supplies and Expenses	94.00	
Ordinance Officer	198.00	
Borough Engineer Salary	1,972.50	
Borough Engineer Help	1,350.00	
Borough Engineer Supplies	168.71	$ 5,434.21
Street Department:—		
Street Commissioner's Salary (6 months)	660.00	
Street Cleaning and Repair labor	6,892.67	
Stable Rent	322.00	
Feed	1,095.88	
Sewer Repairs labor	776.59	
Sewer Improvement Material	6,971.68	
Sewer Improvement Labor	2,275.78	
Purchasing Hose for Street Dept.	401.75	
Equipment and Maintenance including Tools	793.77	
Sidewalk Improvement	411.94	
Brick for repairing Street	407.75	$ 21,007.81
Garbage Disposal:—		
Rent of Dump	600.00	
Hauling Garbage	85.50	
Garbage Expense	97.13	$ 782.63
Fire Department:—		
Firemen's Service	407.35	
Fire Truck Driver Salaries	2,221.40	
Supplies and Maintenance except Truck	792.17	
Repairs to Truck	363.32	
Purchasing Fire Hose	1,810.00	$ 5,594.24
Water and Light:—		
Water	2,992.29	
Electric Light	7,904.29	$ 10,896.58
Legal Expense:—		
General	23.29	
Steiner Case	79.27	
Albert Case	7.66	
Ninth Street Viewers	100.00	
Paid Atty. Wyant, Borough solicitor for services for 1916 and 1917	1,560.00	$ 1,770.22
Miscellaneous:—		
Board of Health Appropriation	$ 1,500.00	
Maintenance and Repair to Borough Building	226.16	
Printing and Advertising	1,924.24	
Refund for Street Opening	586.92	
Auditor Fees	150.00	
Premium on Treasurer Bond	100.00	
Park Labor	65.64	
Borough Building Janitor	60.29	
Making tax duplicate	30.00	
Killing and Burying Dogs	31.75	
Paid on Firemen's Lot	1,000.00	
Election Board expense 1914	5.00	
Purchase of Lot No. 40 Chestnut Street for Street Purposes	500.00	
Purchase of Lot No. 41 Chestnut Street for Street purposes	718.55	
License Tags	20.18	
Purchase of Flag for Borough Building	25.00	
Interest on Loan	50.00	
Carter for hauling garbage, amount collected by Burgess	25.00	
Reimbursed Carl Woodward for amount overpaid in 1914	.13	
Purchase of Lots Nos. 1397 to 1409 Donner avenue for barn site	2,600.00	
Building Barn for Borough purposes	5,148.20	$ 14,767.06
Balance in hands of Treasurer, Jan. 1, 1918		17,430.54
Total		$ 92,389.03

PAVING FUND STATEMENT

Bond Issue	$110,000.00	
Premium on Bonds	4,458.30	
Accrued Interest on Bond	1,038.89	$115,497.19
Expenditures:—		
Loan to General Fund	10,000.00	
Loan to Sinking Fund	10,000.00	
Floating Indebtedness	50,000.00	
Floating Indebtedness Interest	1,096.60	
Improving East Donner Ave.	2,768.98	
Improving Ontario Street	2,080.00	
Improving Linden Avenue	992.39	$ 76,937.97
Balance in Treasury January 1, 1918		$ 38,559.22

SINKING FUND STATEMENT

Receipts:—		
Balance in Treasury Jan. 1, 1917	32,664.90	
Received from Tax Collector 1917 Duplicate	27,058.02	
Received from Tax Collector 1916 Duplicate	501.88	
Received from Tax Collector 1915 Duplicate	47.48	
Loan at Peoples National Bank for Paving Fund April 5, 1917	10,000.00	$ 70,272.28
Expenditures:—		
Bonds Paid	24,000.00	
Coupons Paid	30,110.00	$ 54,110.00
Balance in Treasury Jan. 1, 1918		16,162.28
Total		$ 70,272.28
April 5, 1917 Note Paid at Bank from Paving Fund	10,000.00	

SINKING FUND REQUIREMENTS

Year	Bond	Coupons	State Tax	Total
1918	2,000.00	18,215.00	$1,640.00	$21,855.00
1919	21,000.00	17,760.00	1,616.00	40,376.00
1920	3,000.00	17,260.00	1,548.00	21,808.00
1921	23,000.00	17,040.00	1,520.00	41,560.00
1922	13,000.00	16,100.00	1,444.00	30,544.00
1923	3,000.00	15,465.00	1,432.00	19,897.00
1924	27,000.00	14,841.25	1,352.00	43,193.25
1925	3,000.00	14,217.50	1,272.00	18,489.50
1926	28,000.00	13,976.25	1,240.00	43,216.25
1927	14,000.00	12,835.00	1,148.00	27,983.00
1928	4,000.00	12,155.00	1,092.00	17,247.00
1929	26,000.00	11,322.50	1,036.00	48,358.50
1930	8,000.00	10,410.00	932.00	19,342.00
1931	29,000.00	10,150.00	900.00	40,050.00
1932	5,000.00	8,845.00	784.00	14,629.00
1933	17,000.00	8,365.00	716.00	26,081.00
1934	12,000.00	7,885.00	696.00	20,581.00
1935	10,000.00	7,295.00	648.00	17,943.00
1936	65,000.00	6,582.50	568.00	72,150.50
1937		3,770.00	348.00	4,118.00
1938		3,770.00	348.00	4,118.00
1939	14,000.00	2,472.50	292.00	17,764.50
1940	29,000.00	3,175.00	292.00	32,467.00
1941		1,870.00	176.00	2,046.00
1942		1,870.00	176.00	2,046.00
1943		1,870.00	176.00	2,046.00
1944	24,000.00	1,360.00	80.00	25,440.00
1945		850.00	80.00	930.00
1946	20,000.00	425.00		20,425.00
	410,000.00	263,152.50	23,552.00	696,704.50
Average Yearly Requirements				$24,024.29

MONESSEN BOROUGH LIABILITIES AS AT JANUARY 1st, 1918

Debits	Amt. of Bond	Amt. Due
Sewer System & Bond Issue Street Improvement Authorized March 20th, 1902	$80,000.00	$ 57,00.00
Sewer System & Street Improvement Bond Issue Authorized September 28, 1904	82,000.00	60 000.00
Sewer System & Street Improvement Bond Issue Authorized November 16, 1907	75,000.00	65,000.00
General Improvement Bond Issue Authorized December 15, 1911	130,000.00	118,000.00
General Improvement Bond Issue Authorized August 9, 1916—Ordinance No. 332	110,000.00	110,000.00
Total amount due on Bonds		$410,000.00
Credit:—		
Liens filed against property owners on account street improvements		5,030.30
Total Net Liabilities		$404,969.70

GARBAGE FURNACE FUND

Debits:—		
Loaned to General Fund Oct. 6, 1911	$ 4,000.00	
Loaned to General Fund, Nov. 5, 1914	5,000.00	
One (1) Mill Tax for 1917	6,764.50	
Balance in Treasury Jan. 1, 1917	381.98	$16, 146.48
Credits:—		
Due from General Fund	9,000.00	
Salaries for Hauling Garbage	2,312.19	
Two Ford Garbage Trucks	1,671.20	
Salary of Garbage Foreman	550.00	
Garbage Dump Rental	480.00	
One (1) Team of Horses	360.00	
Two (2) Garbage Wagons	216.44	
Lining Garbage Wagons	217.05	
Feed and Stable Rent	202.33	
Repairs to Trucks	119.73	
One (1) Set of Harness	92.50	
Gasoline	72.21	
Water and Piping Wash Wagons	33.50	
Supplies	15.88	
Horse Hire	9.00	
Recording Petition for Garbage Site	4.75	
Horse Shoeing	2.50	
Hauling and Burying Dogs	7.00	
Balance in Treasury Jan. 1, 1918	780.20	$ 16,146.48

PARKS & PLAYGROUNDS

Debits:—		
Balance in Treasury Jan. 1, 1917	1,040.63	$ 1,040.63
Expenditures:—		
Appropriation to Parks and Playground Asso	300.00	
Lumber	10.47	310.47
Balance in Treasury Jan. 1, 1918		$ 730 16

Note:—The General Fund in 1914, 1915, 1916 and 1917 expended $1059.75 on Parks and Playgrounds for which this fund has not re-imbursed the General Fund.

TAX COLLECTOR'S STATEMENT
E. M. Frye, Collector, McMahan Borough Tax 1913

Debits:—		
Balance due Treasurer Jan. 1, 1917	33.16	33.16
Credits:—		
Exonerated by Council April 4, 1917	33.16	33.16

Carl Woodward, Collector for 1915

Debits:—		
Balance due Treasurer Jan. 1, 1917	$ 682.88	
Penalty 5% on $479.66 Collected	23.99	$ 706.87
Credits:—		
Amount Paid Treasurer	478.47	
5% Commission on $503.65	25.18	
Exonerations allowed	29.79	$ 533.44
Balance due Treasurer		$ $173.43

Carl Woodward, Collector for 1916

Debits:—		
Balance due Treasurer Jan. 1, 1917	5,379.92	
Penalty 5% on $1446.51	72.32	$ 5,452.24
Credits:—		
Amount paid Treasurer	1,442.90	
5% Commission on $1518.83	75.93	
Exonerations allowed	2,749.33	$ 4,268.16
Balance due Treasurer Jan. 1, 1-918		$ 1,184.08

Carl Woodward, Collector for 1917

Debits:—		
Amount of Duplicate	99,686.99	
Surcharge account errors in duplicate	12 58	
5% Penalty on $1444.44	72.22	$ 99,171.79
Credits:—		
Paid Treasurer in 90 days	82,859.55	
5% discount allowed tax payer	4,450.03	
2% Commission for Tax Collector	1,691.00	
Paid Treasurer in 6 months	3,633.19	
5% Commission for Tax Collector	191.48	
Paid Treasurer after 6 months	1,440.83	
5% Commisison for Tax Collector	75.83	
Account of error in duplicate overcharge in extensions	66.46	$ 94,413.39
Balance due Treasurer Jan. 1, 1918		$ 4,758.40

BURGESS' STATEMENT
Daniel Reamer

Debits:—		
Amount due Treasurer from surcharge 1912.	51.00	$ 51.00
Credits:—		
Exonerations March 14 1917	51 00	$ 51.00

A. G. Dunlap

Debits:—		
Due Treasurer from Dec. 1916	180 00	
Fines collected Jan. 1, 1917 to Jan. 7, 1918	4,129.00	
Cost Collected Jan. 1. 1917 to Jan. 7, 1918	1,481.00	$ 5,790.00
Credits:—		
Amount retained by Burgess 1917	1,481.00	
Amount paid over to Treasurer	4,117.00	
Surcharge March. 1917	1.00	$ 5,599.00
Balance due Borough Treasurer Jan. 7, 1918		$ 191.00

BOARD OF HEALTH
(Peoples National Bank, Treasurer.)

Receipts:—		
Appropriation from Council	$ 1,500.00	
Fumigators Sold	8.00	
Vault Permits Issued	13.25	
H. N. Odbert, Treasurer, 1906-1907	1.09	$ 1,522.34
Balance in Treasury Jan. 1, 1917		$ 190.89
		$ 1,713 23
Expenditures:—		
Salary of Health Officer (12 months)	1,179.00	
Salary of Secretary (11 months)	325.00	
Examining School children by D. C. Farquhar	111.50	
Fumigating Supplies	24.40	
Public Hydrants	39.00	
Printing, Postage and Stationary	30.50	$ 1,709.40
Balance in Treasury Jan. 1, 1918		$ 3.83
		$ 1,713.23

Detailed Statement of Liens Filed by Borough of Monessen Against Property Onwners for Non-Payments of Street Improvement Assessments.

(a) Alley Sewer between Donner and Schoonmaker Avenues, from First to Fourth Street.
Assumed by the Borough by action of Council February 21st, 1917 ..... 238.16

(b) Improvement Assessment Schoonmaker Ave. from Twelfth Street to Western Borough Boundary Lines.
Total Improvement Assessment per Viewers' report 3,432.16
Total Improvement Assessment paid 3,266.09 $ 166 07
Details of Liens filed account above Improvement Assessment, unpaid:—

Name	Lien Filed	Lot No.	Frontage	Amount		
N.& E. Feldman	Feb.8,1908	409	41.13'	$45.82		
Rosa Belletto	do	419	42.92'	47.83		
Robt. G. Agnew and Nelson M. Thomas	do	421	130.	72.42	$	166.07

(c) Street Improvement Third Street from Schoonmaker Ave. to Lot No. 2128 South.
Total Improvement Assessment per Viewers' report. 6,489.60
Total Improvement Assessment paid ..... 6,397.48 $ 92.12
Details of Liens filed account above Improvement Assessments, unpaid:—

Name	Lien Filed	Lot No.	Frontage	Amount		
F. G. Pierrotti	June14,1909	2124	35.2'	$92.12	$	92.12

(d) Street Improvement McKee Ave. from Fourth to Sixth Street.
Total Improvement Assessment per Viewers' report. 6,472.24
Total Improvement Assessment paid ..... 5,702.40 $ 769.84
Details of Liens filed account above Improvement Assessments, unpaid:—

Name	Lien Filed	Lot. Nos.	Frontage	Amount		
Monessen School Dist. Jefferson Bldg.	June 14, 1908	72, 74, 76, 78	160'	483.24		
McKee Ave. Park			94.'9	286.60	$	769.84

(e) Street Improvement, Reed Ave. from Oneida St. to Rostraver St.
Total Improvment Assessment per Viewers' Report..$ 8,919.05
Total Improvement Assessment paid ..... 8,843.67 $ 88.92
Details of Liens filed account above improvement assessments, unpaid:—

Name	Lien Filed	Lot No.	Frontage	Amount		
John Maninen	June 14,1909	860	23.26'	75.38	$	7.538

(f) Street Improvement, Oneida St. from Schoonmaker to Reed Ave.
Total Improvement Assessment, per Viewers' Report $ 2,218.22
Total Improvement Assessment paid ..... 1,768.40 $ 449.82
Details of liens filed account above improvement assessments, unpaid:—

Name	Lien Filed	Lot. Nos.	Frontage	Amount		
Monessen School Dist.Iowa Bldg.	Oct. 6, 1908	School Bldg.	218.62'	449.82	$	449.82

(g) Street Improvement, Second St., from Donner to Schoonmaker Ave.
Total Improvement Assessment, per Vewers' Report.$ 1,011.88
Total Improvement Assessment paid ..... 758.91 $ 252,97
Details of liens filed account of above improvement assessments, unpaid:—

Name	Lien Filed	Lot. Nos.	Frontage	Amount		
Chas. Touch	July 27,1908	42N.	100'	252.97	$	252.97

(h) Street Improvement, Reed Ave. from Fourth to Ninth Street.
Total Improvement Assessment, per Viewers' Report $ 12,084.75
Total Improvement Assessment, paid ..... 11,399.09 $ 685.66
Details of Liens filed account above improvement assessments, unpaid:—

Name	Lien Filed	Lot No.	Frontage	Amount		
Mon. School Dist.	June 14,1909	173	40.'	129.10		
Mon. School Dist.	do.	175	40.'	129.10		
Mon. School Dist.	do.	177	40.'	129.10		
W. D. Hunter	Not Liened	192	52.44'	169.26		
Mon. School Dist.	June 14,1909	179	40.'	129.10	$	685.66

Note:—In the case of W. D. Hunter, no lien has been entered on account of action being taken against the Borough for damages.

(i) Laying Side Walks on Schoonmaker Ave., from Tenth to Twelfth Street.
Total Improvement Assessment levied ..... $ 1,512.22
Total Improvement Assessment paid 674.59
Total Improvement Assessment assumed by Borough per action of Council 4-1-09 ..... 356.63
Total Improvement Assessment assumed by Borough per action of council 2-21-17 ..... 481.00

(j) Street Improvement Second Street from Schoonmaker to McKee Ave.
Total Improvement Assessment, per Viewers' Report 945.22
Total Improvement Assessment, paid ..... 231.85 $ 713.37
Details of Liens filed account above improvement assessments, unpaid:—

Name	Lien Filed	Lot No.	Frontage	Amount		
Anna & Mike Skurkay	Nov.22,1910	622	135'	240.76		
E. L. Cutler	do.	624	135'	240.76		
Greek Cath. Church	do.	823	130'	231.85	$	713.37

(k) Street Improvement, Ninth Street from Knox Ave. to South boro line.
Total Improvement Assessment, per Viewers' Report $ 1,553.36
Total Improvement Assessment, paid 1,553.36
(l) Street Improvement, Knox Ave., from Fourth to Twelfth Streets
Total Improvement Assessment, per Viewers' Report $ 13,388.80
Total Improvement Assessment, paid ..... 12,324.13 $ 1,064.67
Detail of Liens filed account above improvement assessments, unpaid:—

Name	Lien Filed	Lot No.	Frontage	Amount		
Highland Park	Not Liened		407.92	1,064.67	$	1,064.67

(m) Street Improvement, Motheral Ave., from Fourth to Sixth Sts.
Total Improvement Assessment, per Viewers' Report $ 3,817.54
Total Improvement Assessment paid 3,817.54
(n) Street Improvement, Morgan Ave., from Tenth St. to Schoonmaker Ave.
Total Improvement Assessment, per Viewers' Report $ 6,365.49
Total Improvement Assessment paid ..... 5,987.33 $ 387.16
Details of Liens filed account above improvement assessments, unpaid:—

Name	Lien Filed	Lot No.	Frontage	Amount		
Will R.Crowthers	Sept.12,1912	426	46.53'	94.35		
E. & H. Feldman	do.	409	50'	81.10		
W. A. Roberts, Receiver of German Nat.l. Bldg. & Loan Association	do.	421	121.13	202.71	$	378.16

(o) Street Improvement, Schoonmaker Ave., from Lot No. 1507 to Boro Line
Total Improvement Assessments per Viewers' Report $ 5,340.35
Total Improvement Assessments paid ..... 5,162.27 $ 178.08
Detail of Liens filed account above Improvement Assessments, unpaid:—

Name	Lien Filed	Lot No.	Frontage	Amount		
J.M. Beail	Sept.12,1912	1440 -1438	80'	178.08	$	178.08

(p) Street Improvement, McKee Way from McKee Ave. to Reed Ave.
Total Improvement Assessments per Viewers' Report $ 1,245.56
Total Improvement Assessments paid ..... 893.12 $ 352.44
Details of Liens filed account above Improvement Assessment, unpaid:—

Name	Lien Filed	Lot No.	Frontage	Amount		
Mon. Boro Park	Not Liened		146.08'	352.44	$	352.44

(q) Street Improvement, Ninth St., from Schoonmaker to Knox Ave.
Total Improvement Assessment, per Viewers' report 4,430.54
Total Improvement Assessment paid 1,918.95
Total Improvement Assessment assumed by Borough per action of Council 2-21-17 ..... 2,511.59

(r) Street Improvement, Knox Ave., from Oneida to Rostraver St.
Total Improvement Assessment, per Viewers' report.$ 6,960.92
Total Improvement Assessment paid ..... 6,531.25 $ 429.67
Details of Liens filed account above Improvement Assessment, unpaid:—

Name	Lien Filed	Lot No.	Frontage	Amount		
A. J. Ahalt	June 24, 1913	912	38.50'	128.01		
Joseph Defon	do.	934-part		35 68		
Jacob Leibgeber	do.	935-937	80'	265.98	$	429.67

(s) Street Improvement, Fourth Street from Knox to Motheral Ave.
Total Improvement Assessment, per Viewers' report.$ 1,275.57
Total Improvement Assessment, paid 1,275.57
Note:—In the case of Axel Ruuti the Borough received $109.58 as payment in full of a lien of $393.71.

(t) Street Improvement Rostraver St. from Schoonmaker to Reed Ave.
Total Improvement Assessments, per Viewers' report $ 3,064.59
Total Improvement Assessments paid ..... 2,322.60 $ 741.99
Details of Liens filed account above improvement Assessments, unpaid:—

Name	Lien Filed	Lot No.	Frontage	Amount		
Calvin R. and Mary Finley	June 15, 1914 do.	850	25.01	62.03		
Fannie Harris and Mike Kudlac	do.	636	85.37	214.74		
Geo.S.Shrader	do.	858	50.01	124.94		
Frank Bumer	Not Liened	859	138.73	344.09	$	741.90

Note:—Assessment of Frank Bumer not liened account exceptions having been filed.

(u) Street Improvement, Fourth St. from Reed to Knox Ave.
Total Improvement Assessment, per Viewers' report $ 1,688.47
Total Improvement Assessment paid ..... 1,678.47 $ 10.00
Details of Liens filed account above Improvement Assessment, unpaid:—
(Balance due on assessment of $52.87.)

Name	Lien Filed	Lot No.	Frontage	Amount		
John Ambrosa	June 16,1914	240	29.96'	10.00		10.00

(v) Street Improvement, Sixth Street from Reed to Motheral Ave
Total Improvement Assessment, per Viewers' report $ 3,056.64
Total Improvement Assessment paid ..... 1,621.48 $ 1,435.16
Details of Liens filed account above Improvement Assessments, unpaid:—

Name	Lien Filed	Lot No.	Frontage	Amount		
R. T. Dale	June 15,1914	294	75.04	211.51		
W. D Hunter	Not Liened	192	150.14	419.63		
Mon. School District	do.	201-200	287.46	$03.82		1,435.16

Note:—Assessment of W. D. Hunter not liened account suit being filed against Borough for damages

(w) Street Improvement, Rostraver St. from Reed to Knox Ave
Total Improvement Assessment per Viewers' report..$ 2,181.33
Total Improvement Assessment paid 2,181 33

(x) Street Improvement, Twelfth St., from Schoonmaker to Reservoir Ave.
Total Improvement Assessment, per Viewers' report $ 7,185.52
Total Improvement Assessment paid ..... 5,421.72 $ 1,763.80
Details of Liens filed account above Improvement Assessments, unpaid:—

Name	Lien Filed	Lot No.	Frontage	Amount		
J.A. Carlson	Nov. 20,1914	2272	110'	337.57		
Mary & Michael Basso	do.	2311	110'	337.57		
J. W. Ody	do.	281	68	208.68		

(continued on page four.)

Intoxicated Man Shoots Two People

Mrs. John Mullen, aged 25, of Brenham St., Pittsburg, was shot and instantly killed, her stepfather, Wm Langdon, aged 36, received two bullet wounds in the right arm and her husband narrowly escaped death in their home, shortly before 11 o'clock last night, when an intoxicated man entered the house and discharged a revolver at the three persons, who were sitting at a table in the kitchen.

A squad of police last night were scouring the Oakland district for Henry Busch, a P. & L. E. Railroad brakeman, who, the police said, was wanted in connection with the shooting.

According to Langdon and John Mullen, Busch went to the Mullen residence about 10:30 o'clock last night and walked into the house without first knocking on the door. Mullen, the police say, quarrelled with Busch about the latter's actions, and Busch, who is alleged to have been under the influence of liquor, left the house.

Mullen told the police that Busch returned shortly, about 20 minutes later, and, without a moment's warning opened the door and leveled the revolver at Mr. and Mrs. Mullen and Langdon. Five shots were fired. Mrs. Mullen fell to the floor with a bullet through the left breast and a bullet in the head

Langdon stated that when the shots were fired he attempted to escape and leaped through a window. He received two bullets in the right arm.

Busch fled after the shooting.

John Mullen, aged 26, was later arrested and it being held at Oakland police station as a material witness. Busch is said to have been an admirer of Mrs. Mullen.

Recruiting Brisk In Pittsburgh

Recruiting yesterday was brisk at most of the Pittsburg stations, altho not quite up to Monday's mark. At the Navy recruiting office in the Union Arcade, Naval Reserves are being accepted in increasingly larger numbers, but the proportion must be very greatly increased in order to equip the 100 vessels taken over from the Holland Government. Total enlistments in the Reserve, which includes men of almost all trades and between 18 and 45 years, are only sufficient to man two to three of these vessels per day, so that some months would be required to man these vessels, without countying the new vessels, which are being turned out every week. Commander Darral P. Wickersham has asked for authorization to organize civilian scouting parties such as have been used elsewhere. These scouting parties volunteer the use of men and automobiles to stir up recruiting activity in the outlying districts.

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WANTED—Kitchen girl; apply at Johnston's Cafe. 68-4t

FOR RENT—Furnished rooms, 160 First street; phone 73-J. 67-3t

FOR RENT — Rooms for light housekeeping;511 Donner Ave. 68-2tp

WANTED—Woman to do washing and ironing for young lady; address "X" care Independent. 68-3tp

WANTED—A steady woman to do washing every Monday for one half day; apply 449 McKee Ave. 68-2t

WANTED—Experienced girl to work in candy kitchen Good wages Address K, care Independent. 68-3t

FOR RENT—2 furnished rooms, 119 Main street, between First and Second street, Belle Vernon 67-6t

WANTED—Girl for general housework, also woman to do cleaning; apply 415 McKee avenue. 63-tf

WANTED — Experienced stenographer and bookkeeper desires position. Address Miss M, care Independent. 67-3tp

FOR RENT—Two large rooms furnished for light housekeeping; references required Inquire Eighth and Schoonmaker Ave. 68-2tp

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$2,900—5 rooms, large lot, Knox Ave. near Rostraver St.
$3,000—6 rooms and bath, East Donner avenue.
$3,300—6 rooms and bath, Brick building, Forest St.
$4,400—8 rooms and bath in a good and handy location
$4,500—7 rooms and bath, Reed avenue.
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WANTED—Book keeper at 511 Donner avenue, Peoples store. 67-3t

TO RECEIVE BIDS

The Monessen school board is ready to receive bids for school supplies and janitor supplies for the coming school year. Information concerning these may be had at the office of the superintendent.

A. N. Hood, Chairman
63-3tw W of Supply Com

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No. 6—5 room house and bath, on First Street, price
$2700.00

No 7—6 room house and bath, level lot, Delaware Ave., price
$3300.00

No 8—5 room house, cemented cellar, Walnut Street, price
$2100.00

No 9—5 room house on Manown Ave, East Monessen Plan, price
$1600.00

No 10—8 room house, Allshouse Ave, East Monessen Plan, suitable for two families, price
$3000.00

No. 11—5 room bungalow, fine home, East Monessen Plan, price
$3000.00

No 12—7 room house and bath on Maple Ave., price
$2000.00

No. 13—House of 8 rooms, 2 bath rooms on Reed Ave., fine level lot, suitable for two families, price
$1600.00

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No. 15—On Schoonmaker Avenue, store room and living apartments, annual rental $1440 00, price
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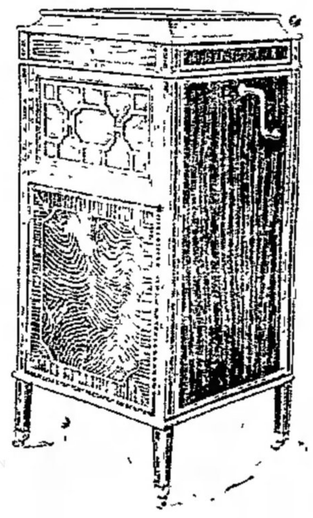

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Stephane Lauzanne, editor of the Paris Matin; Melville E. Stone, general manager of the Associated Press and other distinguished guests of the club, will reach Pittsburg tomorrow morning and will have quarters at the William Penn hotel.

Uncle Sam Tells Foreign Creditors how ot Use Loans

When Uncle Sam lends a billion dollars to one of our Allies he does not hand over the money in a lump to be spent as that foreign government pleases. Not by a jugfull. Uncle Sam says in effect to the Ally: "We have placed to your credit in the Federal Treasury one billion dollars to be spent with American industries for supplies which we will be glad to buy for you as you direct. That is just as near as the foreign government ever comes to getting its hands officially upon that billion dollars.

When the Ally government needs munitions, clothing or foodstuffs, it notifies the American government officials in Washington of its requirements. These officials in turn say to the War Industries Board: "France wants so and so. Buy the munitions from Powderly at so much; the shoes from Leatherman at such and such a price; and the wheat from Farmer at the government rate." And the board does so. When the bills are paid the amount is charged against the Foreign government's treasury balance.

Uncle Sam charges his Ally governments the same interest rate as he pays the American buyer of Liberty Bonds. He neither makes nor loses upon the transaction. In effect he merely extends credit to the foreign government.

But the American people, in supplying the funds for these Liberty Loans, make it possible for the allies to obtain supplies and munitions; possible for the American industries to operate at high wage rates; possible for the farmer to obtain unusually high prices for his products; certain that American prosperity will continue while the war lasts.

And for furnishing the sinews of war and industry, this same bond-buying public receives four per cent. upon every dollar it invests. Which isn't a bad return for boosting business and helping humanity.

The success of our operations depends not only upon our splendid Army, but more upon the backing this Army receives at home. The morale of our troops depends upon the determination and earnestness of the American people. And this determination must be expressed in some definite manner. Spain, France and Switzerland are watching the United States to see what the people do, because it is realized in Europe that the American people themselves determine what their Government and Army shall do.

The two Liberty Loans in the United States have been very successful, but Liberty Loans are not to be measured by the amount subscribed alone. The essential thing is that millions of Americans show that they are back of the Army by subscribing. More than ten million Americans should subscribe to the third loan, and if they do, the moral effect in Europe and in our expeditionary Forces will be tremendous. And, last but not least, the enemy is watching that loan as carefully as it is watching our military preparations, because the enemy knows that the success of our fighting will depend upon the determination of the men and women "back home."

LOCAL NOTES

—Fire Sale at Jules Albert's all this week. 67-3t

—Gold fish at Craig's drug store. 69-tf

—James Black and Jas. A. Reppert are in Pittsburgh today looking after business matters and attending to business pertaining to the local Knights of Malta lodge

—Rhode Island Reds—Hatching eggs from thoroughbred stock (Thompson strain,) also a few setting hens for sale; inquire 253 Sixth street. 67-3tp

—Word has been received of the safe arrival in France of Sergeant Frank Lees and John Weber Lees is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Esan Lees of Reed avenue and Weber is a grandson of Alexander Boag

FIREMEN, NOTICE

A special meeting will be held in the borough building Thursday evening at 8 o'clock, the purpose being to arrange for the Liberty Loan parade to be held Sunday. Each member is urged to be present.

Sam Meyers, Secretary

APPOINTMENT ARRANGED

Arrangements for the appointment of a committee in Pittsburg to carry on the primary campaign of Senator William C. Sproul for the Republican Gubernatorial nomination, were discussed at a meeting in the office of Mayor E. V. Babcock yesterday. The committee will be announced shortly and a headquarters opened. While all or a majority of those attending yesterday's meeting are for the entire Penrose slate of candidates for State offices, it is not known whether the Sproul committee that is to be named will also stand as sponsers for the candidacy of Edward E. Beidelman for Lieutenant Governor; James F Woodward for Secretary of Internal Affairs and the Penrose slate of candidates for Congressman-at-large.

The Pittsburg organization leaders are principally concerned with their plans to capture the legislative delegation from Allegheny county and plans for the local campaign are said to be well under way.

At yesterday's conference it was decided that the fight for local legislative and senatorial candidates would be made by a committee to be known as "the straight Republican ticket committee." Under this head the printed slates for each district will be sent out

STUDENTS ON STRIKE

Three hundred students of the Steubenville, Ohio, High school went on strike yesterday following an edict of the board of education barring dancing at the noon hour.

The pupils marched through the streets bearing banners which read "No Dancing, No School," and "Over the Top With Dancing." No effort was made by the teachers to hold classes.

The student strike is the outcome of a controversy over dancing in the High school introduced by Miss Anna Bastard, principal, who held that dancing by students who brought their lunch helped them put in the noon hour in an orderly manner and with pleasure to themselves.

The practice caused protests from the churches and the ministerial association Monday night R L Boyce president of the school board, decreed that dancing was in violation of the school rules and ordered it stopped The strike of students yesterday followed.

MEETING OF TRACK MEN

Monongahela is to revive harness racing this season with a meeting covering three or four days. This was the development of a conference held Sunday between a half dozen leading race enthusiasts and Joseph M. McGraw of Washington, the latter one of the best known horsemen in the country. The week of July 29 has been tentatively selected as the time for the meeting and McGraw has been asked to take charge as general director of the affair. This week is an open one in the Lake Erie circuit, and Monongahela is to take membership in this circuit in staging its meeting. McGraw has not given a definite answer but another conference is to be held in a few days and arrangements concluded. There is little doubt that McGraw will assume the management of the meet.

In taking Lake Erie circuit membership for this open week, Monongahela will give $400 purses and conform to the general regulations of this circuit. With a fine half-mile track maintained by a host of harness horse owners and enthusiasts, it is believed that a successful meeting can be conducted. No race meeting has been held in Monongahela for 10 or 12 years, although it was formerly a great race center.

It is the intention to stage the meeting as a war benefit, turning over all net receipts to the Red Cross The Apollo meets comes next week and the best of the Lake Erie horses it is believed can be routed to touch expense

APPEAL TO THE VOTERS

To the Citizens of Pennsylvania:

Upon the eve of Primary Elections to nominate Candidates for various state offices, the undersigned citizens of Philadelphia, Republican in politics but identified with no factions, appeal to the voters of Pennsylvania to help avert such a stigma upon the honor of the State as is threatened in the candidacy of John R K Scott for Lieutenant Governor.

We have no candidate to suggest for this or any other office in the state; we have no part in any struggle for factional or selfish control in the Republican party. Our one concern in this juncture is that Pennsylvania now giving so much of its manhood and resources to uphold the moral rights of humanity and the honor of the nation, shall not itself be dishonored in the second office in the commonwealth

John R. K Scott's nomination and election as Lieutenant Governor would stand as a bold challenge to the voters of Pennsylvania either to repudiate or "indicate" the methods of the political machine of which he is one of the most conspicuous exemplars

Above all, it is the vicious political system that Scott represents from which the state should deliver itself by repudiation of his candidacy Scott personifies an implacable, degraded system which would indelibly disgrace the honor of Pennsylvania if it should succeed in stamping itself across the map of the state by his election to the second highest office in the gift of the people

Common decency should have prevented the evil system in Philadelphia from flaunting itself before the voters of the State, and should have induced John R. K. Scott to withdraw as a candidate after he was entered by his political sponsors Nothing now remains but to appeal to the manhood of the state to protect Pennsylvania's honor by repudiating Scott's candidacy at the coming pri-

(Signed) Frances B Reeves,
Arthur H Lea,
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Auditor's Report

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Jas. T Parker	do.	2270	110'	337.57
Samuel Sherratti and Edward Ody	do.	381	29 03	89.09
Benjamin, Ralph and Gurina Zacharim	do.	485	147.72	453.32

(y) Street Improvemnt, Rostraver St. from Knox Ave to Borough
Total Improvement Assessment, per Viewers' report $ 4,856 60
Total Improvement Assesment paid 4,032.99
Details of Liens filed account above Improvement Assessment, unp

Name	Lien Filed	Lot No.	Frontage	Amount
John and Mary Croiakala	Nov 20,1914	2647	176 44'	463.47
Mon School Dist.	Not Liened	2546	120	355.14

(z) Street Improvement, Ninth Street from McMahan to Summit
Total Improvement Assessment, per Viewers' report $ 4,137.35
Total Improvement Assessment paid 3,877.73

Details of Liens filed account above Improvement Assessment, unp

Name	Lien Filed	Lot No.	Frontage	Amount
M Brighenti and Jos Sumaker	May 26, 1915	81-82	25'	86.54
Stephen Dobos	do.	81-82	25'	86.54
Joseph Kist	do.	81-82	25'	86 54

((1) Paving Alley between Sixth Street and Seventh Street run Donner to Schoonmaker Ave.
Total Improvement Assessment per Viewers' report $ 656.12
Total Improvement Assessment paid 656.12

Summary of Street Improvement Assessment due Borough Liens filed, Judgments, Assessments in abeyance, Improv Assessments for Parks, Schools, Churches and errors in assess etc. etc.

DEBITS

(b)	Improvement Assessment, Schoonmaker Ave., from Twelfth to Eastern Borough Boundary Lin (5 years limitation expired)	
(c)	Street Improvement, Third St, from Schoonmaker Ave. to Lot No. 2128, South (5 year limitation expired)	
(d)	Street Improvement McKee Ave., from Fourth St to Sixth Street (5 year limitation expired)	
(e)	Street Improvement, Reed Ave, from Oneida Street to Rostraver St. (5 year limitation expired)	
(f)	Street Improvement, Oneida St., from Schoonmaker Ave to Reed Ave (5 year limitation expired)	
(g)	Street Improvement, Second Street from Donner Ave. to Schoonmaker Ave (5 year limitation expired)	
(h)	Street Improvement, Reed Ave., from Fourth Street to Ninth Street (5 year limitation expired) Assessment of W. D. Hunter not liened account action taken for damage.	
(j)	Street Improvement, Second Street from Schoonmaker to McKee Ave (5 year limitation expired)	
(l)	Street Improvement, Knox Ave, from Fourth Street to Twelfth St. (5 year limitation expires Sept. 12, 1917	
(n)	Street Improvement, Morgan Avenue from Tenth St. to Schoonmaker Ave. (5 year limitation expires Sept 12, 1917	
(o)	Street Improvement, Schoonmaker Ave, from Lot No 1507 to East Borough Line (5 year limitation expires Sept 12 1917)	
(p)	Street Improvement, McKee Way from McKee Ave to Reed Ave. (Not Liened)	
(r)	Street Improvement Knox Ave., from Oneida St. to Rostraver St. (5 year limitation expires June 24, 1918)	
(t)	Street Improvement, Rostraver St. from Schoonmaker Ave to Reed Ave. (5 year limitation expires June 15, 1919) Assessment of Frank Bumer not liened account exception filed	
(u)	Street Improvement, Fourth St from Reed Ave. to Knex Ave. (5 year limitation expires June 16, 1919)	
(v)	Street Improvement, Sixth Street from Reed Ave. to Motheral Ave. (5 year limitation expires June 15, 1919) Assessment of W. D. Hunter not liened account exceptions filed.	
(x)	Street Improvement, Twelfth Street from Schoonmaker Ave. to Reservoir Ave. (5 year limitation expires Nov. 20, 1919).	
(y)	Street Improvement, Rostraver Street from Knox Ave. to Borough line (5 year limitation expires Nov. 20, 1919)	
(z)	Street Improvement, Ninth Street from McMahan Ave. to Summit Ave. (5 year limitation expires May 26, 1920	

CREDITS

(b)	By expiration of liens		166.07
(c)	By expiration of liens		92 12
(d)	Credit by amount liened against Monessen School District, Jefferson Bldg	483.24	
	Credit by cost paving frontage McKee Ave. Park	286.60	769 84
(e)	By expiraton of liens		75.38
(f)	Credit by amount liened against Monessen School Dist. Iowa. Bldg.		449 82
(g)	By expiration of liens		252.97
(n)	Credit by amount liened against Monessen School District, McKinley Bldg.		516 40
(j)	By expiration of liens		713 37
(i)	Credit by cost of paving frontage Monessen Borough Park (Highland)		1,064 67
(p)	Credit by cost of paving frontage Monessen Borough Park, Sixth Street		352 44
(v)	Credit by cost of paving frontage Monessen School Dist. property (New High School Bldg.):		803 82
(y)	Credit by cost of paving frontage. Monessen School Dist. property (1st Ward Bldg.)		355.14

Balance —Carried as a credit in report of Liabilities

ROBERT SHERWIN.
FRANK E. FAIRLEY.
JERRY S. McKENZIE.
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Woman Charges Herself With an Awful

On information made against herself, charging herself with moral offense, Mrs Agnes Clark, a Scotch woman of Monongahela, entered a plea of guilty Monday before Judge James I. Brownson. She was sentenced to pay the costs, fine of $1 and to undergo imprisonment in the county jail for three months. On information given by the woman, Joseph Hunadi, a Hungarian, and an alien enemy, is being held in Allegheny county on serious charges of shoplifting He is alleged to have stolen within the past few years, several thousand dollars' worth of merchandise.

Mrs. Clark's husband deserted her seven or eight years ago. He is now said to be in Scotland. She had two children by her first husband and they are now grown up. After her husband left her she started to live with Hunadi and she and two children by him, one about four years ago, and another about two. For several months back her paramour has mistreating her and she went to Alderman R. L. Elwood, of Mo hels and admitted she had been unlawfully with Hunadi. She complained of his mistreatm her.

At the same time she gave i formation that Hunadi had been ing his living shoplifting and he had not for several years do work, but had made his mone stealing merchandise and dis of the same. Officers went to t nadi house, made a search ther found over $1,000 in merch from different Pittsburg store formation was also gotten of dolars worth of stuff taken the past several years. Mrs also said the man was an alien and had expressed himself a this government. Hunadi wa rested and is now out on bail. he gave bail for his appearance i legheny county on charges of ceny, he had $5,000.

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